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LEGISLATIVE BILL 451

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A BILL

- FOR AN ACT relating to secured transactions; to amend section

 52-1312, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and

 section 9-522, Uniform Commercial Code; to change

 provisions relating to the maintenance and destruction of

 records; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the

 original sections.
- 7 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

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- 1 terminated effective financing statements or notices of such
- 2 financing statements from the master list prior to preparation of
- 3 the lists required to be distributed by subdivision (5) of this
- 4 section.
- 5 (7) Effective financing statements or any amendments or
- 6 continuations of effective financing statements originally filed in
- 7 the office of the county clerk that have been indexed and entered
- 8 on the Secretary of State's central filing system need not be
- 9 retained by the county filing office and may be disposed of or
- 10 <u>destroyed</u>.
- 11 The Secretary of State shall apply to the Secretary of
- 12 the United States Department of Agriculture for certification of
- 13 the central filing system.
- 14 The Secretary of State shall deposit any funds received
- 15 pursuant to subdivision (4) of this section in the Uniform
- 16 Commercial Code Cash Fund.
- 17 Sec. 2. Section 9-522, Uniform Commercial Code, is
- 18 amended to read:
- 19 U9-522. Maintenance and destruction of records.
- 20 (a) The filing office shall maintain a record of the
- 21 information provided in a filed financing statement for at least
- 22 one year after the effectiveness of the financing statement has
- 23 lapsed under section 9-515 with respect to all secured parties of
- 24 record. The record must be retrievable by using the name of the
- 25 debtor and by using the file number assigned to the initial
- 26 financing statement to which the record relates.
- 27 (b) Except to the extent that a statute governing
- 28 disposition of public records provides otherwise, the filing office

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1 immediately may destroy any written record evidencing a financing

- 2 statement. However, if the filing office destroys a written
- 3 record, it shall maintain another record of the financing statement
- 4 which complies with subsection (a).
- 5 (c) Notwithstanding the provisions of this section, a
- 6 record of a financing statement or amendment statement for which
- 7 the place of filing was changed by Laws 1998, LB 1321, and which
- 8 financing statement or amendment statement could have been
- 9 continued or was continued by filing a new continuation statement
- 10 pursuant to Laws 1998, LB 1321, section 110, does not have to be
- 11 retained by the original filing office and may be disposed of or
- 12 destroyed.
- 13 Sec. 3. Original section 52-1312, Reissue Revised
- 14 Statutes of Nebraska, and section 9-522, Uniform Commercial Code,
- 15 are repealed.